

# General Education Mapping and Transfer Policies Survey

## 1. Respondent Information

**July 5, 2022**

Please complete this survey online by **Friday, August 5, 2022**.

The purpose of this survey is to gather information on the alignment of institutional general education curricula to the requirements of the Ohio Transfer 36 and on institutional transfer policies and appeals processes. Members of the Ohio Articulation and Transfer Network (OATN) at the Ohio Department of Higher Education (ODHE) will compile this information and share it on the ODHE website.

This information will reduce student confusion concerning general education requirements and transfer credit policies and will enable students and advisors to plan coursework in the confidence that it will transfer and apply to their intended degree as they expect. The data from this survey will likewise equip the OATN team to better facilitate transfer among institutions and respond to queries from students and institutional staff regarding transfer concerns.

We ask that **one representative** complete this survey on behalf of your institution as soon as possible, but **no later than Friday, August 5, 2022**. The survey should be completed by one of the members of your institution who oversee the general education curriculum.

Questions regarding this survey should be directed to OATN team members Candice Grant (CGrant@highered.ohio.gov) and Ben Parrot (BParrot@highered.ohio.gov).

We thank you in advance for your valuable input.

**\* 1. Demographic information about the person completing the survey.**

Name

Institution

Title

E-mail

Phone

**\* 2. Please indicate the type of institution that you represent.**

☐

University

☐

Community College

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### 2. General Education Mapping

For each Ohio Transfer 36 category listed below, please indicate which of your general education components are fulfilled by that category and add any additional notes, as necessary, regarding your institutional general education requirements that align to that category.

The learning outcomes associated with the Ohio Transfer 36 are available here:

<https://www.ohiohighered.org/Ohio-Transfer-36/learning-outcomes>.

A sample mapping from Miami University is included below.

Ohio Transfer 36 Requirements	Miami Global Plan
First Writing (at least 3 credit hours)	Perspectives: Composition (3 credit hours)
Mathematics, Statistics, & Logic (at least 3 credit hours)	Perspectives: Math/Formal Reasoning (3 credit hours)
Natural Sciences (at least 6 credit hours)	Perspectives: Sciences (6 credit hours with one lab) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Biological Science (3 credit hours)</li><li>· Physical Science (3 credit hours)</li></ul> One of above with lab
Social & Behavioral Sciences (at least 6 credit hours from two different disciplines)	Perspectives: Social Science (6 credit hours)
Arts & Humanities (at least 6 credit hours from two different disciplines)	Perspectives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Creative Arts (3 credit hours)</li><li>· Humanities (3 credit hours)</li></ul>
Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion (not required; please indicate which, if any, institutional requirement(s) an approved Ohio Transfer 36 DEI course would fulfill)	Perspectives: DEI (3 credit hours)
Additional Ohio Transfer 36-approved coursework (up to 12 credit hours)	A total of nine credits: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Advanced Writing (3)</li><li>· Global Foundation (6)</li></ul>
<b>Total Credit Hours Awarded</b> (36-40 credit hours)	<b>36 credit hours</b>

If students enter Miami having fully completed the Ohio Transfer 36, they will still need to complete:

- Signature Inquiry (9 credit hours): Signature Inquiry Requirement can be met by matching equivalent Perspectives courses that have SI designation; thus, many students transferring into Miami will have already fulfilled this requirement.
- Intercultural Consciousness (3 credit hours)
- Capstone and Experiential Learning (3 credit hours)

\* 3. First Writing (at least 3 credit hours)

Institutional General  
Education  
Requirements

Additional Notes

\* 4. Mathematics, Statistics, & Logic (at least 3 credit hours)

Institutional General  
Education  
Requirements

Additional Notes

\* 5. Natural Sciences (at least 6 credit hours)

Institutional General  
Education  
Requirements

Additional Notes

\* 6. Social & Behavioral Sciences (at least 6 credit hours from two different disciplines)

Institutional General  
Education  
Requirements

Additional Notes

\* 7. Arts & Humanities (at least 6 credit hours from two different disciplines)

Institutional General  
Education  
Requirements

Additional Notes

\* 8. Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion (not required; please indicate which, if any, institutional requirement(s) an approved Ohio Transfer 36 DEI course would fulfill)

Institutional General  
Education  
Requirements

Additional Notes

\* 9. Additional Ohio Transfer 36-approved coursework (up to 12 credit hours)

Institutional General  
Education  
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\* 10. Total Credit Hours Awarded (36-40 hours)

Total Credit Hours  
Awarded

Additional Notes

\* 11. Which lower-level general education requirements would a student still need to complete at your institution if they transfer in with the Ohio Transfer 36 and are awarded credit as indicated above?

\* 12. Which upper-level general education requirements would a student who transfers in with the Ohio Transfer 36 still need to complete at your institution? (There is no expectation that Ohio Transfer 36 fulfills upper-level general education requirements; this is for informational purposes only.)

\* 13. Does your website already provide a mapping for how your general education fits with the Ohio Transfer 36?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If yes, please provide a link to the webpage with this mapping.

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### 3. Policy/Practice Questions

\* 14. Do you note the completion of the Ohio Transfer 36 on student transcripts?

☐ Yes

☐ No

\* 15. Do you note the completion of the Ohio Transfer 36 on student degree audits?

☐ Yes

☐ No

\* 16. Under your current policies, if a student transfers in with a completed Ohio Transfer 36, does the completed Ohio Transfer 36 fulfill the entirety of your lower-level general education requirements, regardless of which courses the student has taken?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If no, what subset or portion, if any, of your lower-level general education requirements is NOT fulfilled?

\* 17. Under your current policies, which, if any, general education requirements are fulfilled if a student transfers in with only a portion of the Ohio Transfer 36 completed?

\* 18. Under your current policies, what credit is awarded if a student transfers in with an Ohio Transfer 36-approved course for which there is no direct equivalent at your institution? Will this credit be applied to the general education category at your institution that aligns to the equivalent Ohio Transfer 36 category?

\* 19. Please list any additional policies at your institution concerning the transfer of Ohio Transfer 36 and/or general education coursework beyond any mentioned in the previous questions.

\* 20. What is your review/appeals process for students who believe they were not awarded appropriate transfer credit for their Ohio Transfer 36 coursework or who believe that their transfer credit was not appropriately applied to fulfill general education requirements?

\* 21. Please provide a link to your institutional general education webpage.

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### 4. Thank You!

Thank you for completing the survey.

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